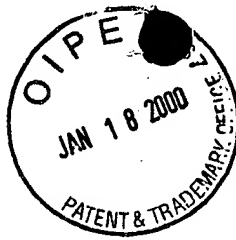


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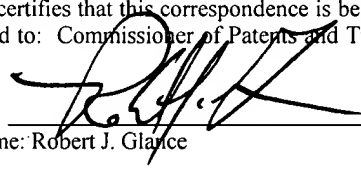
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated November 10, 1999, Applicants respectfully request entry and consideration of the following amendments, which, Applicants submit, place the application in condition for allowance.

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